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Statement of Financial Condition and Independent Auditor's Report

December 31, 2012

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### **OATH OR AFFIRMATION**

I, B. Timothy O'Gara	, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of
my knowledge and belief the accompanying financial s Shannon Advisors LLC	statement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of
of December 31	, 20 12 , are true and correct. I further swear (or affirm) that
neither the company nor any partner, proprietor, princ classified solely as that of a customer, except as follow	ipal officer or director has any proprietary interest in any account
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	Chief Financial Officer
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(b) Statement of Financial Condition.	
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(h) Computation for Determination of Reserve Re	quirements Pursuant to Rule 15c3-3.
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Computation for Determination of the Reserve	Requirements Under Exhibit A of Rule 15c3-3.
	udited Statements of Financial Condition with respect to methods of
consolidation.  (1) An Oath or Affirmation.	
(ii) An Oath of Arrimation.  (m) A copy of the SIPC Supplemental Report.	
	ound to exist or found to have existed since the date of the previous audit.

<sup>\*\*</sup>For conditions of confidential treatment of certain portions of this filing, see section 240.17a-5(e)(3).



#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Member of Shannon Advisors LLC

#### Report on the Financial Statement

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of Shannon Advisors LLC (the "Company") as of December 31, 2012 that is filed pursuant to Rule 17a-5 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, and the related notes to the statement of financial condition.

### Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statement

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of this financial statement in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of a financial statement that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

#### Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on this financial statement based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statement is free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statement. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statement, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statement in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statement.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

#### **Opinion**

In our opinion, the financial statement referred to above presents fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Shannon Advisors LLC as of December 31, 2012, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Bannockburn, Illinois January 21, 2013

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### STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

## **DECEMBER 31, 2012**

### **ASSETS**

Cash and cash equivalents	\$	74,902
Accounts receivable		2,531,875
	\$	2,606,777
LIABILITIES AND MEMBER'S EQ	UITY	
LIABILITIES		
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	\$	3,581
MEMBER'S EQUITY		2,603,196
	\$	2,606,777

### NOTES TO THE STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

## NOTE 1 – DESCRIPTION OF BUSINESS AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Description of Business. Shannon Advisors LLC (the "Company") was incorporated in the State of Delaware in March 2009 and is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Shannon Advisors LP (the "Parent"). The Company is registered as a broker/dealer with the Securities and Exchange Commission and the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority ("FINRA") and various states, and, in this capacity, it performs brokerage and private placement advisory services to private equity companies globally.

Management Estimates and Assumptions. The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("GAAP") requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in the financial statements and accompanying notes. Actual results could differ from those estimates. Future events and their effects cannot be predicted with certainty; accordingly, accounting estimates require the exercise of judgment. Accounting estimates used in the preparation of these financial statements change as new events occur, as more experience is acquired, as additional information is obtained and as the operating environment changes.

Cash and Cash Equivalents. All highly liquid investments purchased with an original maturity of three months or less are considered to be cash equivalents. The Company regularly maintains cash balances that exceed Federal Depository Insurance Corporation limits.

Accounts Receivable and Allowances for Uncollectible Accounts. Accounts receivable are reported net of any estimated allowances for uncollectible accounts and contractual adjustments. All receivables are uncollateralized. To provide for receivables that could become uncollectible in the future, the Company may establish an allowance for uncollectible accounts to reduce the carrying amount of such receivables to their estimated net realizable value. The allowance for uncollectible accounts is based upon management's assessment of historical and expected net collections, business and economic conditions, and other collection indicators. No allowance was deemed necessary by management as of December 31, 2012.

Revenue Recognition. Revenues are recognized when earned.

Income Taxes. The Company is organized as a single member limited liability company, which is a disregarded entity for income tax purposes. Accordingly, the Parent's partners are personally responsible for the federal and Illinois income taxes on the Company's taxable income, and therefore no provision for federal and Illinois income taxes has been made in these financial statements.

The Company may make distributions to its member in 2013 in connection with such member's respective income tax liability incurred for 2012 as a result of the Company's partnership income tax status.

GAAP requires management to evaluate tax positions taken by the Company and recognize a tax liability (or asset) if the Company has taken an uncertain position that more likely than not would not be sustained upon examination by the Internal Revenue Service or other tax authorities. Management has analyzed the tax positions taken by the Company, and has concluded that as of December 31, 2012, there are no uncertain positions taken or expected to be taken that would require recognition of a liability (or asset) or disclosure in the financial statements. The Company is subject to routine audits by the Internal Revenue Service or other tax authorities, generally for three years after the tax returns are filed; however, there are currently no audits for any tax periods in progress.

### NOTE 2 – NET CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS

The Company is subject to the Securities and Exchange Commission's Uniform Net Capital Rule (Rule 15c3-1). Under this rule, the Company is required to maintain "minimum net capital" equivalent to \$5,000 or 6 2/3% of "aggregate indebtedness," whichever is greater, as these terms are defined. At December 31, 2012, the Company had net capital of \$69,823 which was \$64,823 in excess of its required net capital of \$5,000. The Company's net capital ratio was 5.13 to 1.00.

Management anticipates making capital distributions totaling approximately \$527,000 during the six months after December 31, 2012.

# NOTES TO THE STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION (Concluded)

### **NOTE 3 – CONCENTRATIONS**

For the year ended December 31, 2012, the Company had three clients that accounted for 87% of revenues. As of December 31, 2012, the Company had two clients that accounted for \$2,471,875, or 98% of accounts receivable. The ongoing operation of the Company is economically dependent on its ability to enter into contracts with other parties.

### **NOTE 4 – SUBSEQUENT EVENTS**

Management has evaluated all known subsequent events from December 31, 2012 through January 21, 2013, the date the accompanying financial statement was available to be issued, and is not aware of any material subsequent events occurring during this period.